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- Spanish Ambassador to Argentina Jose Maria Areilza, who recently left Argentina for Spain, * was informed by Franco in Madrid that he must return to Buenos Aires, at least for a brief period of time. Areilza's return, some time in July 1949, is intended to show Mrs. Peron, who had insulted him , that the Spanish government is above such petty affairs.
- 2. Franco plans to recall Areilza from Buenos Aires after a very short period of time and give him a cabinet post, probably that of Minister of Commerce and Industry.

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